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In the **PATENT APPLICATION** of:

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## REPLY PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.114

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Sir:

This Reply is responds to the Office Action dated February 18, 2010 and the Notice of Panel Decision from Pre-Appeal Brief Review of August 6, 2010 and is submitted in conjunction with an appropriate petition for extension of time. A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is filed concurrently herewith. This Reply is filed after appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences, but prior to a decision on the appeal. The Applicants request withdrawal of the appeal and reopening of prosecution pursuant to 37 CFR 1.114.

Please amend the application without prejudice or disclaimer as follows: